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## North Tennessee WorkForce Board Inc.

Current Labor Force Estimates		
Labor Force	89,650	
Employed	85,500	
Unemployed	4,140	
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.6%	
Last Month	4.8%	
Rate Change	-0.2%	
State	6.9%	
U.S.	5.7%	

Career Center Activity	
August Monthly Services	1,339
YTD Service	2,483
WIA Enrollment	211
Placement Rate	_
Average Wage	_

Assistance to Customer	
Activity	Number Assisted
Auto Repair	
Dental	
Optical	
License/Tags	
Uniform/Clothing	6
Test/License Fees	20
Transportation	13
Total	39

## September 2008



Spotlight on the Counties

## **Business Services**

This month our business services division completed 306 drug tests (542 YTD), and 14 alcohol tests (22 YTD).

There were 16 students in the August Driver's Education Class.

## **Current Projects/Events/News**

The Biomedical class kicked off on September 24th with the TN Department of Labor Commissioner James Neeley speaking to the students and guests at Independence High School.

DHS/Families First Assistance	
Active Customers	89
Work Participation Rate (WPR)	59.6%



